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CUP 0116-02

Subject: Holcim (US) Inc. - 2002 Diatomaceous Earth Removal - Skull Valley, Utah

Dear Sirs,

On August 13, 2002 the US BLM approved our continued activity under the existing Notice (U-77753) pending the issuance of its Plan of Operations (U-77778). The BLM has had an extremely busy fire season and the required signatories for the Plan of Operations have been out of office. Cheryl Martinez advises that the Plan of Operations will be issued soon. A copy of the BLM letter is attached for your files.

Holcim will comply with the Utah State SMO S/045/060 and the Tooele County's CUP 0116-02.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Tom Newman'.

Tom Newman, CPG
Senior Geologist

Copy:

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U-77753 and U-77778

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